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10 REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

11 TESTIMONY OF JAMES VALENTE

12 AT 450 GOLDEN GATE AVENUE

13 SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA 94102

14 THURSDAY, MAY 25, 2006

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1 referring specifically to formal documents that --  
2 you know, affidavits and things; correct?

3 A. Yes. Correct.

4 Q. All right. But, of course, when you do  
5 that, that creates a paper trail; correct?

6 A. Yes.

7 Q. Okay. All right. So what was your basis  
8 for putting down Barry B. and these numbers on  
9 these samples? I mean how did you know it was  
10 Barry's urine?

11 A. 'Cause Greg gave it to me and told me.

12 Q. Greg told you specifically these were  
13 Barry's urine samples.

14 A. Yes.

15 Q. Okay. All right. Let's go to the  
16 next --

17 GRAND JUROR: Mr. Nedrow.

18 MR. NEDROW: Yes. I'm sorry.

19 GRAND JUROR: Can we request a bathroom break?

20 MR. NEDROW: Oh, sure. Yeah. Absolutely.

21 You guys want to take like 10 minutes or something  
22 or --

23 GRAND JUROR: Five is fine.

24 GRAND JUROR: Yeah, five is fine.

25 THE FOREPERSON: Five is fine.